FERC RELICENSING OF THE OROVILLE FACILITY CULTURAL RESOURCES WORK GROUP MARCH 2003 UPDATE

The last Cultural Resources Work Group (CRWG) meeting was held at Mooretown Rancheria on February 18, 2003. At that meeting, it was agreed that summaries of activities conducted during March would be distributed to the CRWG in a monthly update in lieu of holding a regular meeting. This document provides that summary and fulfills the obligations of Action Item #C46, as identified in the meeting notes posted for the February 2003 CRWG meeting.

The next CRWG meeting will be held Tuesday, April 15, 2003 at Mooretown Rancheria, beginning at 5:30 PM.

Study Plan C-1 Update

The archaeological team spent most of the month of March entering site information into computer data banks, finalizing site records, and preparing a draft archaeological inventory report. The draft document is due April 1, 2003.

The ethnographic studies team continued conducting interviews throughout the month. They also focused on preparing the draft ethnographic inventory report, which is due April 1, 2003.

Maidu Advisory Council Update

The Maidu Advisory Council did not meet in March. The next MAC meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 2, 2003.